

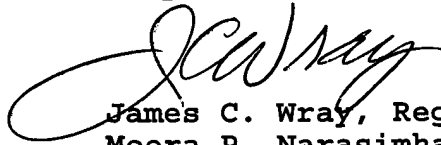
**REMARKS**

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Applicant appreciates the allowance of claims 57-65 and 67-76. Rejected claim 66 has been cancelled without prejudice.

Since this amendment places the case in condition for allowance, reconsideration and issuance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Wray', is written over the typed name of James C. Wray.

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